

Saturday, September 20, 2014

The Maryland Board of Occupational Therapy (OT) Practice (Board)

Location: Bolger Conference Center
9600 Newbridge Drive
Potomac, Maryland 20854
Conference Room – Classroom 20

Chairperson: Kamala Stevenson, MS, OTR/L

8:30 a.m.

GENERAL SESSION MINUTES

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Kamala Stevenson, MS, OTR/L, Chairperson
Iyna Adams, OTR/L, CPAM, Vice Chairperson
Kuzhilethu Kshepakaran, M.Ed., OTR/L, CAPS, FAOTA
Vanessa Hughes, COTA/L
A. Cassaundra Brown, Consumer
Meenakshi Gupta, Consumer Member

NON-BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Donna Ashman, Executive Director
Marilyn Pinkney, Licensing Coordinator
Jo-Ann Lane, Network Specialist
Denise Goetz, Case Manager

GUESTS

John Tatum, Parliamentarian

NON-BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT

Grant Gerber, Board Counsel

1. Ms. Stevenson called the General Session Meeting to order at 8:45 a.m.
2. The Board reviewed all amendments from Chapter 10.46.01.01. Ms. Hughes motioned to approve the amendments as written. Ms. Adams seconded the motion. The Board voted unanimously in favor.
3. The Board reviewed all amendments from Chapter 10.46.01.02. Ms. Brown motioned to approve the amendments as written. Ms. Hughes seconded the motion. The Board voted unanimously in favor.
4. The Board reviewed all amendments from Chapter 10.46.01.04. Ms. Hughes motioned to approve the amendments as written. Ms. Adams seconded the motion. The Board voted unanimously in favor.
5. The Board reviewed all amendments from Chapter 10.46.04. The Board agreed to table this discussion at the next scheduled Board meeting.
6. The Board reviewed all amendments from Chapter 10.46.04.05. Ms. Hughes motioned to approve the amendment change of electronic media. Ms. Brown seconded the motion. The Board voted unanimously in favor.

7. The Board reviewed all amendments from Chapter 10.46.06.06. Ms. Hughes motioned to approve the amendments as written. Ms. Brown seconded the motion. The Board voted unanimously in favor.
8. The Board reviewed the new language to add in Chapter 10.46.06.07. Ms. Adams motioned to add the new language to this chapter. Ms. Hughes seconded the motion. The Board voted unanimously in favor.
9. The Board will defer the “Dry Needling” agenda item to the next scheduled Board meeting.
10. Ms. Adams provided the ratification of 41 occupational therapists, 19 occupational therapy assistants for a total of 60 applicants approved to practicing in Maryland. Ms. Brown motioned to approve the 60 applicants. Ms. Hughes seconded the motion. The Board voted unanimously in favor.

Sunil Kumar Chauhan	Occupational Therapist
Monique Peta-Gaye Dawes	Occupational Therapist
Abigail Dobey	Occupational Therapist
Nikkie Dorsey	Occupational Therapist
Bridget Foust	Occupational Therapist
Mary Margaux Juco	Occupational Therapist
Kristi Murphy – Reinstatement	Occupational Therapist
Kayla Sheely	Occupational Therapist
Halie Squires	Occupational Therapist
Sayanti Bhowmick	Occupational Therapist
Kimberly Byrne	Occupational Therapist
Kimberly Hession	Occupational Therapist
Ifeoma P Nzeadighibe	Occupational Therapist
Alison Odle	Occupational Therapist
Julie Lane	Occupational Therapist
Nicole Beckner	Occupational Therapist
Rachel Hensberger	Occupational Therapist
Dana Lishia	Occupational Therapist
Ryan Roque Anthony R. Alaban	Occupational Therapist
Nicole Beckner	Occupational Therapist
Shelby Lederman	Occupational Therapist
Jennifer Nogueras	Occupational Therapist
George Henry C. Salmon	Occupational Therapist
Marie Ellinore E. Silverio	Occupational Therapist
Leonard Volk	Occupational Therapist
Kevin Buchanan	Occupational Therapist
Hannah Schwartzbeck	Occupational Therapist
Samantha Kaplan	Occupational Therapist
Amanda Farr	Occupational Therapist
Caline Coutts	Occupational Therapist

Melissa Eagen	Occupational Therapist
Girlye Isabel P Tahadlangit	Occupational Therapist
Timothy Freeman	Occupational Therapist
Gloria Fuller	Occupational Therapist
Heather Carman	Occupational Therapist
Kelli Adcock	Occupational Therapist
Sharon Boyd	Occupational Therapist
Jason Herrera	Occupational Therapist
Michelle Hefner	Occupational Therapist
Rebecca Wood	Occupational Therapist
Allison O'Leary	Occupational Therapist
Amanda Perkins	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Christina Miller	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Katie Opert	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Kimberly Gilpin	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Jamie Martin	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Jessica Purkey	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Chastidy Meeks	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Arun Henry	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Grace Guckin	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Bethany Greenwood	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Kyrie A. Pletts	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Whitney Swenson	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Kathleen French	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Amber Uhrin	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Stephanie Werkheiser	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Colin Woods	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Lisa Watts	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Stephanie Landmann	Occupational Therapy Assistant
Aleeza Goldrosen	Occupational Therapy Assistant

11. The Board had discussion on the correspondence #1. Ms. Ashman will request for additional information and bring back to the next scheduled Board meeting. Ms. Ashman will provide additional information to the inquiry regarding the Professional Counselors Board Practice Act.

12. The Board had discussion on correspondence #3. Ms. Ashman will draft a response and forward to Ms Stevenson and Ms. Adams before forwarding to the inquiry.

13. The Board will not hold an October Board Meeting. The Board will consider a conference call in October, if needed, as agenda items arise.

Pursuant to the Maryland Government Article, Section 10-508(a)(13), Annotated Code of Maryland, Ms. Stevenson adjourned the General Session meeting at 10:25 a.m.

Ms. Stevenson reopened the General Session meeting at 10:35 a.m. with a presentation by Mr. John Tatum on Parliamentary Procedures.

Pursuant to the Maryland Government Article, Section 10-508(a)(13), Annotated Code of Maryland, Ms. Stevenson adjourned the General Session meeting at 12:35 p.m.

Submitted by:

Marilyn Pinkney

Marilyn Pinkney, Licensing Coordinator